

## MEMORIAL DAY PARADE PARTICIPANT'S ITINERARY

We are looking forward to your participation in the **Memorial Day Parade** on **Monday**, **May 27**, **2019**.

For the most up-to-date information, visit the parade web site: www.WestHartfordCT.gov/MemorialDayParade.

Look for our parade volunteers wearing red shirts!

## Please share these instructions with each member of your contingent.

The parade begins at 10:00 AM. Participants should be in place no later than: 9:30 AM.

<u>PARKING</u>: Free parking is available at all of the municipal parking lots all day on Memorial Day. They are located on Brace Road and at Town Hall. The lots on LaSalle Road/Arapahoe and Farmington Avenue may be difficult to access prior to the parade but are available for parking.

In preparation for the Memorial Day parade, starting at 12AM on Monday, May 27, 2019, the Town will implement a parking ban along the parade route. On-street parking will be prohibited on the west side of Pleasant St. from Whitman Ave. to Farmington Ave.; on Farmington Ave., both sides, from Walden St. to Raymond Rd.; and on North Main St. and South Main St., both sides, from Brace Rd. to Burr St.

The Town will lift the parking ban following the conclusion of the parade. Parking will resume normal operation on Tuesday, May 28, 2019 at 6AM. For more information, go to <a href="https://www.WestHartfordCT.gov/Parking">www.WestHartfordCT.gov/Parking</a>

<u>PARADE LENGTH:</u> The parade is 0.69 mile long. It begins on Farmington Avenue at Woodrow Street and ends at Town Hall, 50 South Main Street. Buses may park free of charge at Town Hall during the parade. Buses may pick up their groups at Town Hall.

<u>WEAR/BRING</u>: Wear comfortable shoes, sunglasses, and sun screen. Bring water and your patriotic spirit. Bring a banner that identifies your group (if you have one available).

<u>RESTROOMS:</u> There are no public restrooms in the five division line-up areas. There are coffee shops and restaurants on Farmington Avenue, South Main Street and LaSalle Road that will be open.

<u>You Are On TV</u>: West Hartford Community TV will be broadcasting the parade live from the Veterans Memorial, corner of South Main Street and Farmington Avenue. Wave to the camera!

<u>WEATHER:</u> The forecast calls for mostly sunny skies and a high of 77 degrees on Monday, May 27. To check on a cancellation due to inclement weather, go <u>www.WestHartfordCT.gov</u>. Information will be posted on the home page.

<u>CEREMONY</u>: Immediately following the parade, you are invited to attend the Memorial Day ceremony at the Veterans Memorial. The ceremony typically runs 30-40 minutes.

QUESTIONS: Call Renée McCue at (office) 860-561-7521 or (cell) 860-913-5149.